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RESPONSE

Dear Sirs,

This is in response to the Examiner's Report of July 9, 2003 setting an initial due date for reply of October 9, 2003. Applicant hereby requests a one month extension of time to reply by November 9, 2003. As this date falls on a Sunday, this response shall be deemed to be timely filed if filed by November 10, 2003.

REMARKS

Examiner has rejected pending claims 1, 2, 4-10, 12-40 and 42-54 for being anticipated or obvious in view U.S. 6,043,209 to Micciche et al., U.S. 4,518,585 to Greene et al., WO 98/18894 to Silvaggi et al., U.S. 5,900,256 to Scoville, Jr. et al., U.S. 4,637,899 to Kennedy, Jr., and Block, "Disinfection, Sterilization, and Preservation" (Lea & Febiger, 4th ed., 1991, Philadelphia).

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